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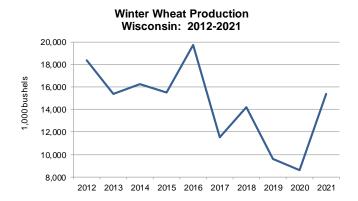


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Winter wheat production in Wisconsin is forecast at 15.4 million bushels, 79% above last year's 8.63 million bushels according to the latest USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service – *Crop Production* report. Based on conditions as of May 1, the State's winter wheat yield is forecast at 70.0 bushels per acre, 1.0 bushel above last year. Wisconsin winter wheat growers intend to harvest 220,000 acres for grain, up 76% from 2020.



Winter Wheat Area Harvested, Yield, and Production – Selected States and United States: 2020 and Forecasted May 1, 2021

[The estimates in this table are based on May 1 conditions and do not reflect weather effects since that time. The next crop production forecast, based on conditions as of June 1, will be released on June 10.]

| State | Area harvested | | Yield per acre | | Production | |
|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|-----------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | 2020 | 2021 | 2020 | 2021 | 2020 | 2021 |
| | (1,000 acres) | (1,000 acres) | (bushels) | (bushels) | (1,000 bushels) | (1,000 bushels) |
| Colorado | 1,520 | 1,700 | 27.0 | 34.0 | 41,040 | 57,800 |
| Kansas | 6,250 | 6,900 | 45.0 | 48.0 | 281,250 | 331,200 |
| Montana | 1,490 | 1,650 | 51.0 | 49.0 | 75,990 | 80,850 |
| Oklahoma | 2,600 | 2,700 | 40.0 | 40.0 | 104,000 | 108,000 |
| Texas | 2,050 | 1,900 | 30.0 | 32.0 | 61,500 | 60,800 |
| Washington | 1,750 | 1,690 | 76.0 | 64.0 | 133,000 | 108,160 |
| Wisconsin | 125 | 220 | 69.0 | 70.0 | 8,625 | 15,400 |
| United States | 23,024 | 24,612 | 50.9 | 52.1 | 1,171,022 | 1,282,925 |

United States Summary

Winter wheat production is forecast at 1.28 billion bushels, up 10% from 2020. As of May 1, the United States yield is forecast at 52.1 bushels per acre, up 1.2 bushels from last year's average yield of 50.9 bushels per acre. Area expected to be harvested for grain is forecast at 24.6 million acres, up 7% from last year.